

ROCKING CHAIR

Prior Applications

This \$371 National Phase patent application bases priority
on International Application No. PCT/DE2003/003184, filed on
5 September 24, 2003, which in turn bases priority on German
Application No. DE 102 45 173.7, filed on September 26, 2002.

Background of the Invention

1. Field of the Invention

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10 The invention relates to a rocking chair with an
oscillating base, a seating surface fixed thereto and a back
rest according to the preamble of the main claim.

2. Description of the Prior Art

Such rocking chairs differ from those which normally have
arcuate runners in the lower region on which they can oscillate
15 backwards and forwards in that they are provided in a base with
a swinging or oscillating mechanism enabling them to be
installed on carpets, where a conventional runner-type rocking
chair would be excessively decelerated, so as to enable rocking
to take place in much the same way as with a conventional
20 rocking chair. However, unlike in the case of the latter, the
back rest stays in its horizontal inclination and the latter
does not change during rocking.

Conventionally, oscillating bases with oscillating,
pendulum or tension parallelograms are used, where soon an